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Title

: HIGH STRENGTH STAINLESS

: STEEL PIPE FOR USE IN OIL : WELL HAVING SUPERIOR

: CORROSION RESISTANCE AND

: MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF

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RESPONSE

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated June 26, 2008, Applicants amend the Application

as follows: